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TOPIC Soviet Troops in the Barbara Kaserne at Weiningen

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On 4 May 1951, the Barbara Kaserne in Weiningen (M 51/H 82) quartered 7 infantry companies and 1 tank unit. Gate guards wore black-bordered red epaulets, _____ a military band, 1 officer, 2 NCOs and 150 EM with two medium mortars practicing on 24 May. On 25 May, 27 soldiers with 54 large coffee pitchers assembled in front of two barracks buildings. Up to six groups totaling about 100 troops were seen training on 25 and 26 May. *

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* Comment. _____ the Barbara Kaserne in Weiningen is believed to quarter one or two battalions of the 117th Litz Rifle Regt of the 39th Gds Litz Rifle Div. _____

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